

Wakefield Will Have Own Baseball Field

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Wakefield is slowly acquiring its own athletic plant right at the school. A baseball field is now in process to give the Warriors their second major facility.

A road scraper has started work on clearing a site for the diamond and Athletic Director Milo Sonen predicted today that

the field will be ready for use by the second-year Warrior tossers this spring.

As soon as the temperatures warm up a crew of workmen will begin construction of the pitching mound. Sonen is hopeful of having a sodded field for the 1955 team, the second in the history of the school.

Wakefield's spring sports schedules are not ready for release according to Sonen but teams will be entered in track, golf and tennis as well as baseball.

The construction of a nearby baseball field removes the Warriors from the Four-Mile Run stadium, the home of the Little and Junior Majors teams. And it will bring the new Arlington high school closer to complete facilities.

Wakefield's football team played all of its home games on its own gridiron at the school. The football field has a seating capacity of 2,000. Sonen said that the baseball field is being built near the gridiron but will be apart from it. Efforts are being made to obtain the bleachers which had been used at Dolly Madison for erection around the infield of the new diamond.

Other athletic facility constructions at Wakefield due this spring are jumping pits and other practice areas for the track team.